

Desirements vs. Requirements

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Form a team to develop a requirements process that includes:

- Spiral Development
- Product Centers, Industries
- Process Development Facility
- Operational Testers Involved
- Use CONOPS as requirements document
- Business Network Battle Lab for Requirements
- Lack of Commonality
- Review requirements process from big "R" to little "r"
- Requirements Flexibility
- Understand & utilize the evolution of commercial technology
- Government Technology Demos
- Where is DT/OT at "dot.com" environment
- Begin acquisition process with CONOPS Vs ORD
- Cross-functional team

• **Task Leader:** ESC/CX

Desirements vs. Requirements Team

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The Problem

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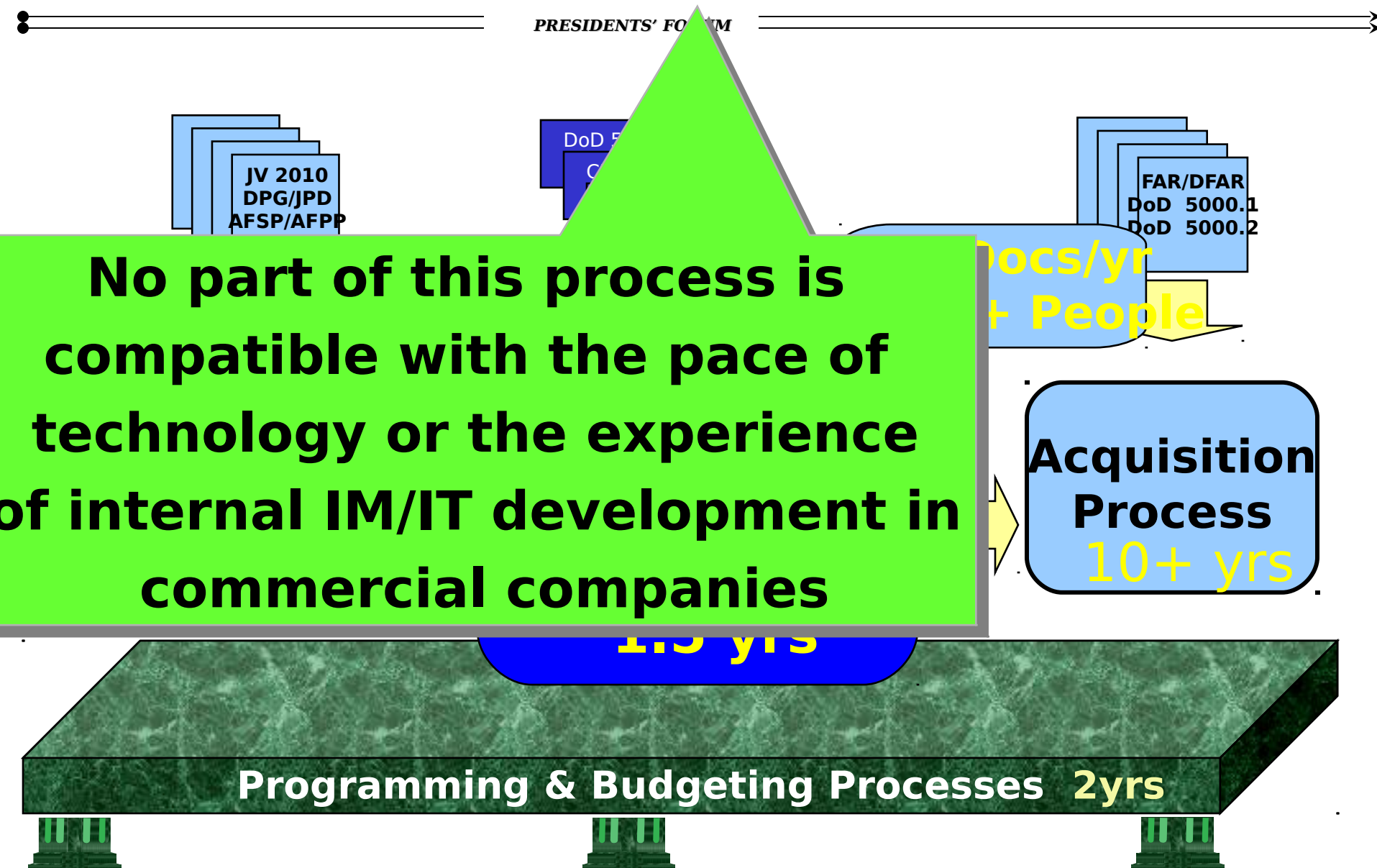
- Requirements generation too slow
- Funding process not responsive to take advantage of IT technology
- Acquisition process too slow

Recent Requirements Activities

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- SAB C2 Requirements Process
- AC2ISRC Enterprise Integration Management
- AC2ISRC Requirements Process Re-look
- SAF/AQ Acquisition Agility
- Desirements vs. Requirements Working Group

The Current Process



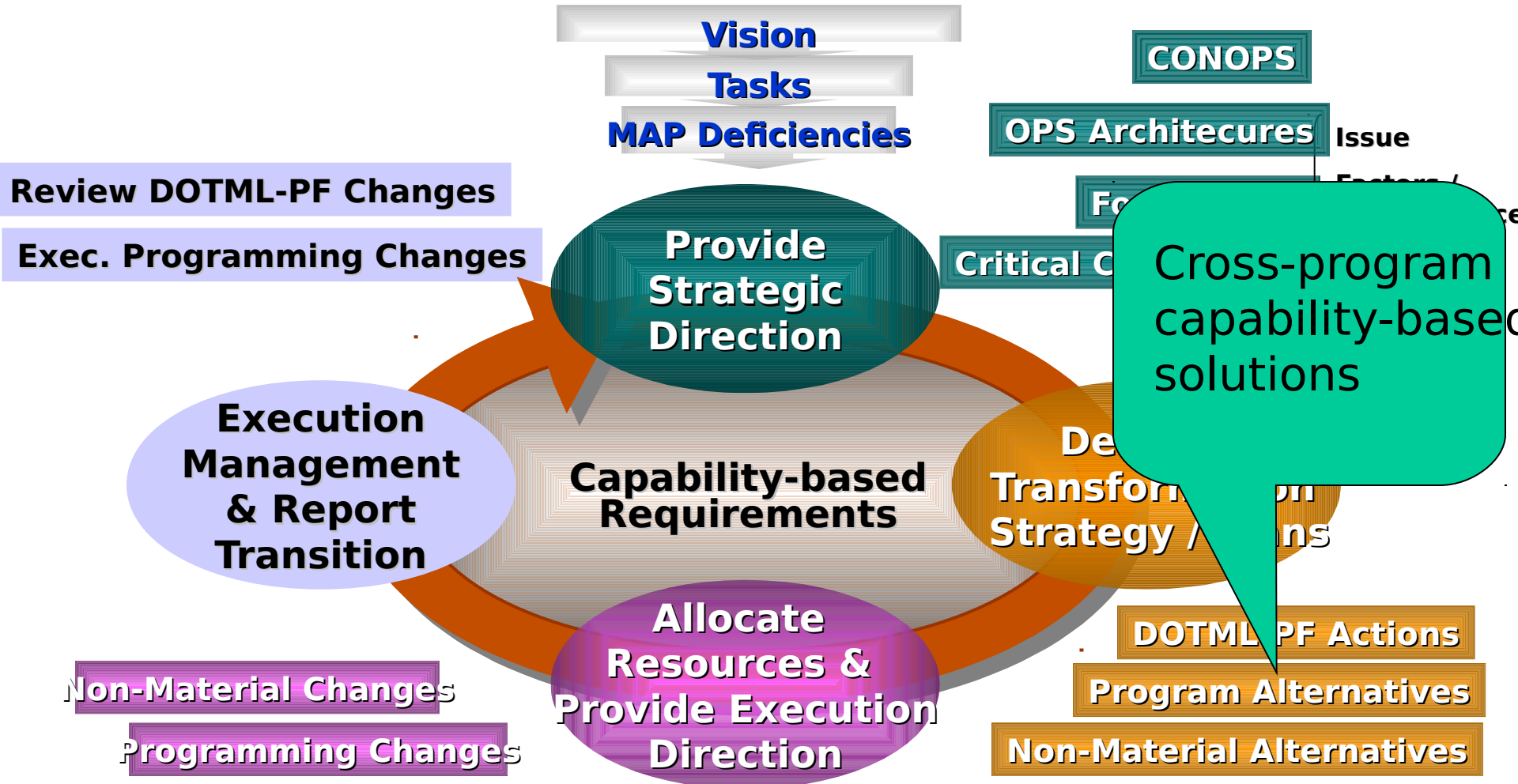
Summary of Key Recommendations to SAB

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- The C2 concept of operations, mapped into desired operational capabilities, should drive C2 development
- Redefine Program Elements more broadly
- Establish Pentagon C2 infrastructure owner
- All fielded developments will satisfy the infrastructure policies and standards
- Replace the “Predictive Banking” process for IT capabilities -- execution year funding flexibility
- Specify ORD and MNS at high level
- Take steps that will make short-term progress toward the Global Grid and the JBI

C2ISRC Enterprise Integration Management Summary

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Cross-Program Alternatives

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**Define
Operational
Framework**

- C2ISR Campaign Plan/MAPs
- C2ISR Critical Capabilities
- CONOPS
- Ops Architectures

**Conduct
Analysis of Roadmap
Alternatives (ARA)**

- Systems Architectures
- Program Profiles
- Technology Insertion
- Commercial IT Technology
- C2ISR QAPR Decisions

**Develop Cross-Program
Integrated
Acquisition Roadmaps**

- Alternatives to meet FA capabilities
- Disconnects
- Issues
- Duplications

EIM Re-look and Acquisition Agility Summary

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- Delivering C2ISR capability requires all products be linked
 - CONOPs & Concept of use
 - ORD, CRD, PE, PMD
 - Strategic Plans, MAPs, Roadmaps, C4ISPs
- MAJCOM/Air Staff involvement early and often
- Implementing Capstone PMD directing cross-program roadmaps
- Restructuring C2ISR PEs
- Funding for cross-program integration and technology transition
- Corporate Panel restructure for C2ISR

Requirements Panel

Findings

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- Culture change hardest thing to do (from development community, users)
- Involve industry earlier on requirements and desirements development
- Tell industry what we want and not how to do it (in high level ORD/CONOPS/Ops Architecture)
- Expedite reprogramming of execution year funding for today's technology to meet immediate warfighter C2 requirements
- Make DoD business processes more flexible to allow application of commercial technology

Requirements Panel

Findings

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- Place enterprise manager in control
- ESC survey of industry to identify interoperable capabilities available using commercial systems capable of rapid evolution
 - What exists now to meet requirements
 - What meets most requirements, but needs more work
 - If new start is required because nothing exists now
- Provide an environment for early exchange of requirements and potential solutions (eg. C2 Portal, HERBB, Network Applications Lab, etc...)

Recommendations

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- Support the initiatives of previous groups
- Work with industry to identify business process changes that would facilitate transition IT technologies
- Provide industry early visibility in requirements and desirements (h ORD/CONOPS/Ops Architecture)
- Keep a Survey of Industry solutions for the user and development community
 - What exists now to meet requirements
 - What meets most requirements, but needs more work



C2 Portal
Opportunity

The "Future" P

**Restructured PE's, C2
Infrastructure Owner,
Execution Year
Funding Flexibility for
transition of IT
Technology,
Consolidated
Capability-Based POM
(EIM/ARA)**

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DoD 5000.2R

CJCSI 3170.01

AFPD 10-6

AFI 10-601

**IT Solutions Catalog,
Capabilities-Based
Solutions, Use of IT Tools
(Portal),
Spiral Development,
Build to IT Infrastructure
Policies and Standards
(JBI)**

**Requirements
Process
(MNS,ORD,CRD)**

**Acquisition
Process**

Programming & Budget

**CONOPS,
Architectures, Desired
Capabilities,
High Level MNS &
ORD's, Early Industry
Visibility**

Backups

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Focus Areas & Investment

Categories

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Investment
Categories

Agile Combat
Support
Col McGill, A4

Information
Management
Col Howard, A6

Infrastructure
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ISR
Col Briscoe, A8

Joint Aerospace
Applications
Col Abel, A7

Warrior Ops
Col May, A3

Focus Areas

AOC as a
Weapon System
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TCT
Col Blackmore, C2N

TPED
Col Gibaldi, A2

Global Reach
Col King, C2M

IW
Col Gaebel, AIA/XP

N. American
Homeland Defense
Col Blackmore, C2N

Cross cutters: Sustainment, Divestiture,
Integration, Technology Insertion

C2ISR Campaign 2000

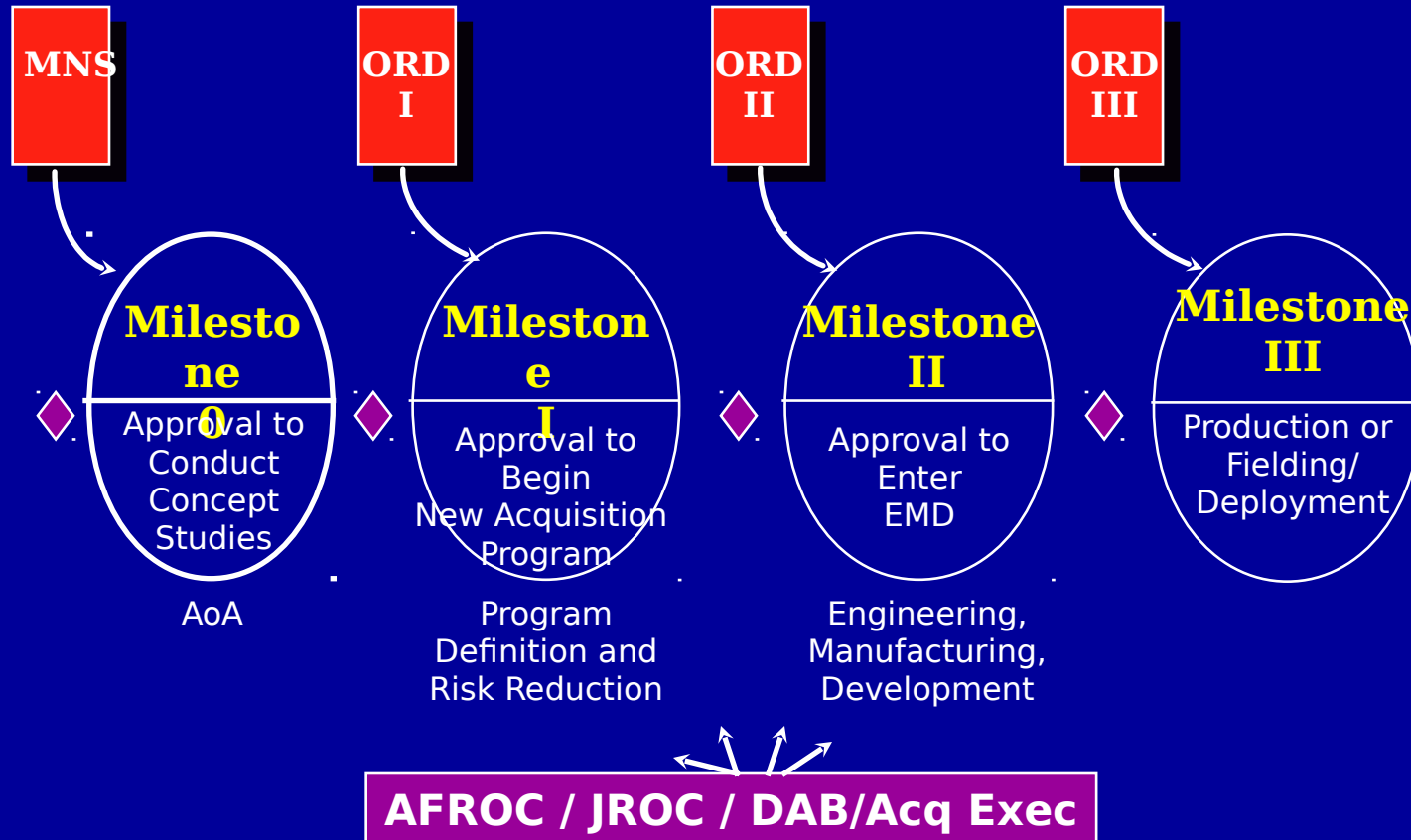
Lessons Learned

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- More Air Staff & Joint involvement needed
 - Need to understand their issues
- Early AF Corporate guidance a must
 - What is right mix of sustainment and modernization
 - Need early guidance on divestiture options
- End States & Objectives need to be capability based and measurable
- Strategy Statements need narrower focus
- Technology insertion needs attention

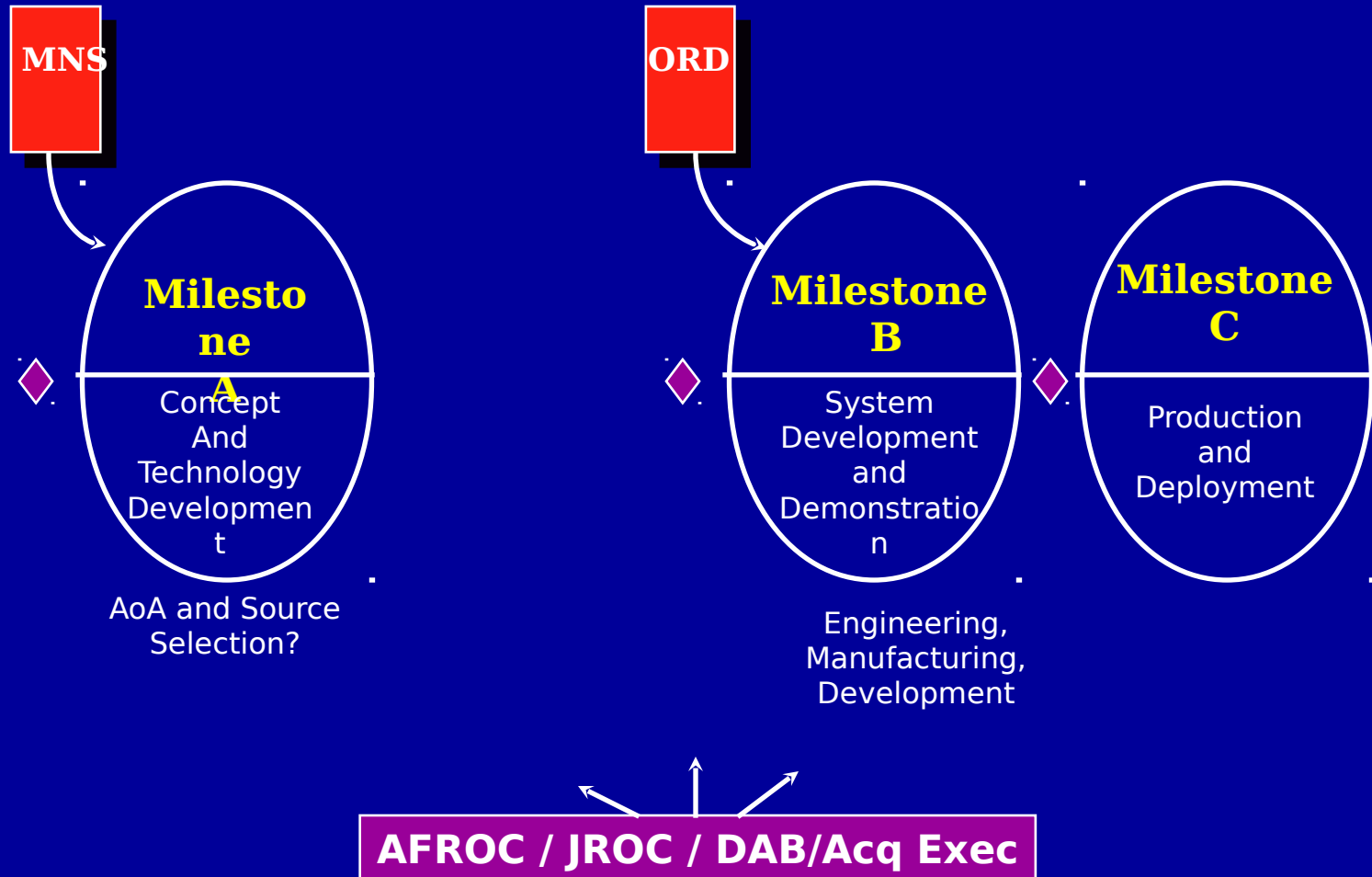
Classic Milestones

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New Milestones

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The Weapon Systems ORD

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- Documents requirements for many systems related to a certain mission or capability (i.e. F-15, AOC)
- Same function as an aircraft / weapon system ORD
- Allows proper funding for:
 - Studies and research of many systems
 - The necessary systems engineering to design the integration, interoperability, and compatibility among many systems.
- *Enables management (modernization) of C2 and ISR systems as Weapon Systems (AC2ISRC Charter)*

C2ISR Enterprise Challenges

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- SAF/AQI is proposing to CSAF and Corona Fall a restructuring of C2&ISR PEs to a manageable number - “12-18”
- The SAF/AQI team liked the AC2ISRC idea of Overarching ORDs –
 - Weapon System ORDS
 - Cross-cutting Systems ORDs
- “12-18” ORDs to match the PEs

Spiral Development Organizational Structure

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Standing Spiral Development IPTs	Joint Aerospace Applications			
	Information Management			
	Infrastructure			
	ISR Sensors & Platforms			
	Agile Combat Support			
Spiral Developme nt Locations	TACC AOC-X	AFSPACE BattleLabs	AOC	AFRL....Others AFIWC

EIM Challenges

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- Realignment will not be easy
 - Big culture/authority changes
 - Component groupings (e.g., PE's) are TBD
- Paying for integration – not reflected in current acquisition structure/process
- Harmonizing Evolutionary Acquisition with classic DoD 5000 series activities
- Expanding the envelope
 - Integrating with AF CIO & AF/SC (formerly AFCIC)
 - Joint level
 - MAJCOM level